All Started With an Egg

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1. Chapter 1

Chapter 1 The Egg

Running Away

Hiccup was 6 years old and he ran away from home. Now this was not new and he was usually found but this time it was different. He had found his way to an area he never knew about and this was rare since he was a very hyper 6 year-old.

His best friend was Astrid Hofferson and she was sad when they did not find him in the first few days like they normally did. She might only be a year older than Hiccup but she was very smart and noticed the depressed state of Hiccup's parents. She went to their home daily to see if anything was new on the Hiccup updates ad each day she became sadder thinking they will not find him.

Hiccup was a well-trained six year old in mind but his body never developed like other kids his age. He knew all the right things to do such as start fire but he could only carry small sticks so it took him forever to get enough wood to make a decent fire.

He knew which berried and plants were edible but he could barely carry enough after he ate from the bush so he had to make many trips to the bushes to eat and he was not strong enough to break through the hard ground to get at the edible roots with the nutrients he needed.

He was able to handle a dagger and when he went on his journeys, he brought along the tiny knife that as given to him in his 5th birthday. The blade was only 4 inches long and not real thick. It was pretty much good enough to cut rope and bread but struggled with both of them. A few days later out of boredom he found a rock that would work as a sharpening stone and realized his dad never sharpened it very well. Once sharpened it cut through a lot of things including the skin on his fingers.

He found a cave in the cove area he wondered into it, or should we say he accidently fell into that the cliffs were too steep to get out. He did not mind since he loved to be alone and besides Astrid, he did not miss anyone including his over bearing parents who trusted him with nothing.

He marked on the cave wall as each sunrise occurred, not for any reason besides boredom and he did not want to miss his 7th birthday which he knew was now ten days away. A 7th birthday was nothing important to most kids but to Hiccup, it was very important since his dad promised him he could get a bow and arrow set an start practicing with targets.

These thoughts gave him and idea so he took his very sharp knife and found the perfect sapling and cut it and then he peeled the bark from another tree and woven the thins strips of bark together to make a wider than usual bow string. He then cut ten sticks and sharpened the ends of them and notched them. He knew he needed feathers and looked around and did not find any.

Since he was in a the sharpening mood, he cut some sticks twice as long as he was high and sharpened the end and within three long hours of trying, speared himself a small fish. He cooked it over the fire and it might have not been completely been done but he was scared to burn it. He has had raw fish before so it did not bother him but he would practice if he had fish to spare.

He made it a daily shore to catch fish and after a while he became pretty good at it and caught more than he lost. He also became better at cooking them and by the time of his 7th birthday, he completely cooked a fish and it tasted wonderful. Maybe it was because he caught it and cooked it but it was the best tasting fish he ever had.

After his meal, he sat against a tree that had become his resting area and fell asleep, that is until he felt something hit his leg and he opened his eyes to see a small dragon egg resting against this foot,. He has seen this type of egg many times and it belonged to a Terrible Terror. He felt the egg and it was still warm so he brought it over by the fire to make sure it did not cool off.

He knew enough about dragons to know he should stay clear of the egg when it hatched because the eggs exploded. He heard that the parents go to an island and put them in water so they do not harm other dragons when they hatch but Hiccup was not sure to tell when it was ready.

He watched the egg and he only had it for an hour when it started to shake and then it started to rock aback and forth and Hiccup quickly picked it up and put it in the water and he barely got it on and turned away when it exploded and a tiny Terrible Terror emerged from the water and came straight at the little boy.

Hiccup at first thought he was going to be attacked but then the little dragon stopped on his shoulder and nestled into his mop of hair. He laughed thinking how mad his dad would be that he is not friends with a dragon and his mom would be proud of him because she felt dragons were not the devils the Vikings made them out to be.

Over the next year, the village never gave up hope on finding the now eight year old boy and a certain young blonde was missing him more than anyone. Sure he was geeky and clumsy but she felt he was her clumsy geek and she missed him, missed him a lot.

She has grown a lot in the past year and she had become very efficient in her battle talents. She used the ax she was given a year ago by her dad and she practiced daily. It was one of these practice days that she happened to find the surprise of her life.

She was throwing her ax and she was distracted by a dragon screech and she missed the tree all together. She went to get her ax and she saw a Terrible Terror take off with her ax in his mouth. She ran after it and when she came to a cliff, she noticed her Ax was down in a cove that she never knew existed.

She tried to climb down and she slipped and before she knew it, she was on her back with what felt like a broken leg. She tried to move but she screamed out loud and this brought on the attention of the only resident of this cove. She passed out from the pain so she did not see her rescuer until she woke up a couple days later.

When she opened her eyes she thought she was seeing things "Hiccup?" was all she could say and then she passed out again.

She drifted in and out of consciousness over the next couple days and at times she would wake up and then feel pain and the so called touch Hofferson was not so tough but Hiccup had to adjust her splint as he felt necessary and she could not take the pain. Hiccup felt bad he could not find any of the herbs for pain but if he did not keep her leg set, she would not be able to walk properly.

A week later, Hiccup was finally able to show his Terrible Terror the herb he needed and the little guy found it and brought some. He crushed it up and put water with it and helps Astrid drink some. This settled the pain enough that she woke up the net time he adjust the splint and she did not pass out.

"I missed you Hiccup" and then she turned red not sure why that is the first thing she said to him. She noticed that she was under a thick blanket but he clothes were not on her, well beside her bindings that were not really needed since she was not developing yet and her under pants that she is glad she had on.

"You were burning up so at night I took the blanket off and your clothes to cool your body and during the day I carried you to the lake and put you in the shallow water until your fever broke."

She thanked him and then she asked the obvious question "Why did you not come home?"

He told her to look around and she did and saw why she fell, there

was no way out and he has tried. She saw how he had built a kind of ladder but it was too high up for a young boy to hoist it up. He thought maybe once she got better the two of them could find a way together but that will take some time.

"I tried to send Teton there to send a message but either I am a terrible trainer or he does not want me to leave. He would eat the messages and not deliver them." Astrid could not help giggle at the thought of how frustrated her geek was at not being able to train a tiny dragon.

He asked her if she was hungry and she said she was. She watched him grab one of now ten spears he had and in one attempt caught a fish big enough for the both of them to get full on. He also had berries and told her how Teton did know his berried and many times came back with them.

She asked why they could not see the smoke from his fire and he told her to look up. The cover of the overhanging trees filtered out most of the smoke and with the hot springs near, the remaining smoke blended in with the steam from the springs.

"Hiccup, be honest but are you enjoying it here?"

"I am Astrid, besides missing my best friend daily I have learned so much being by myself."

"Once we find a way to get out of here I promise to not tell anyone were you are if you want to stay here, that is as long as I can come and see you often." He agreed to this but in a way hoped she decided to just stay all the time.

At the village a week later, everyone was panicking thinking that someone was taking the kids and the rest of the kids were not allowed to play outside alone until they were 13 years old. The rest of Astrid's friends were pissed since they blamed it on Hiccup disappearing and maybe he is the one who took Astrid.

The adults thought this was funny because no way would the tough 9 year old Astrid Hofferson let the village runt over power her and take her away. She must have been taken by a neighboring island and this scared everyone wondering what kind of sick things they were doing to the most beautiful girl to be born on Berk.

At the cove over a year later, Astrid was healed but she could not bring herself to leave Hiccup. She was now ten and Hiccup was nine and a half. Hiccup was developing muscled from the hard labor he put in to make the cave fitting fir his now girlfriend. She has confessed she loved how he took care of her and has decided that she was not leaving him.

Hiccup was not the only one developing and even though the developments were small so far, Hiccup noticed the beginnings of breast and how her hips and ass wiggled more as she walked. He caught himself many times starting at her ass and she was well aware of his attention to her back end detail.

The favorite thing for both of them to do was watch the stars and Hiccup charted the skies like sailors do. He learned how to peel bark and let it dry so he could write on it. He also drew many pictures of

Astrid and she modeled for him. It was in the first pictures she had on the splint and no curves to her body and the latest pictures showed the feminine changes in her.

As much as Hiccup could have drawn here with enhanced curves, he stuck to drawing the truth as his eyes saw her. Astrid always thought he drew her prettier than she is but he told her many times he fails at capturing her true beauty.

During one of the nights of watching the stars, they noticed a figure flying overhead and both were sacred the dragon might find them. Hiccup went to get Astrid's ax for her and he grabbed two spears. He had become very good at fighting with two spears and trained daily with the help of Astrid. She taught him how to jab with one while throwing the other and not losing concentration on either task.

The huge figure kept coming closer and even Teton showed fear. Hiccup directed Teton to Astrid shoulder and had her stand behind him. The large black dragon came closer and Hiccup noticed the blue in its mouth start to grow. Hiccup needed to distract the dragon sir he lined up the spear with his left arm and tossed it in hopes to at least scare off the mighty dragon.

He did more than scare the dragon, he ran the spear at an angle through its wing and did enough damage with the wide blade made from thin rock that the dragon lost control and crashed. At the time Hiccup did not know he hit a main muscle otherwise the wing tear would not have hurt the flight of the dragon.

Hiccup told Astrid to stay where she was and he grabbed some fish and ran to the down dragon. He was not about to kill it if he did not have to and figured fish might be a peace offering. A she approached the dragon, he noticed another plasma blast being formed so he tossed the fish at the dragon and then ducked behind some rocks.

The blast never came and he looked up and saw the dragon eating the three fish like he had not eaten in weeks. "Would you like some more fish" he said not thinking the dragon would understand but to his surprise the dragon nodded his head up and down.

Hiccup only had three more fish left at camp and Astrid and he had not eaten yet. He decided if they do not make friends with this dragon, they would not have to worry about food since they would be the food.

Astrid walked towards the dragon this time but stayed behind Hiccup. Hiccup suggested she come with so they both could show they meant no fear to the beast and hopefully save everyone's lives. Hiccup tossed the fish but this time he tossed them about five feet in front of him and the dragon slowly made its way to the fish and ate it all down before he started to regurgitate the fish and threw some up in front of each of the preteens.

"Are we supposed to do what I think he is asking us to do" a disgusted Astrid asked and looked like she was going to throw up. Hiccup reached down and picked up his portion and took a bite and then when the dragon looked at him and made a swallowing motion, Hiccup did it and barely kept it down. Astrid followed and did the same thing and she also barely managed to keep it down.

Both think this was more than a trust issue since it sounded like the dragon laughed after both turned green and ready to lose it all. He was concentrating on them when Teton came up and had his front legs on Hiccup's shoulder and back legs on Astrid's shoulders and showed completed trust in the two humans.

The black dragon looked on and then stepped within a foot of Hiccup and not sure why but Hiccup put up his hand and the black dragon put his snout against his hand. Hiccup felt a bond form and Astrid was about to do the same thing but the black dragon stepped back and let out a huge roar. Both teens stepped back wondering what was done wrong and then they heard it, the whistle they heard when they first noticed this dragon approach.

They looked up and landing in front of them was almost the same dragon except slightly smaller and this one was more dark blue than black but still hard to see at night. You could tell she was female and she submitted to the bigger dragon. After she greeted her mate, she turned and walked past Hiccup as if he was not there and approached the scared girl.

Astrid was not sure what to do so she copied Hiccup's actions and placed her hand I front of her and the female dragon did as the male did and placed her snout against her hand and they both felt the bond being made.

The two kids were not sure how to react to this since they have been raised to hate dragons but right now they had two powerful dragons as friends and they knew they were more protected than they ever have been before. Just to think their trust of dragons all started with Ash finding one egg.

2. Chapter 2 - Growing Up

Thank you for the reviews and follows. I know this chapter is being loaded fast behind the first one but it will slow down now since I would like a little bit of reader input for the rest of the chapters so please read the A/N at the end of each chapter to see if I am in need of help or input. As usual reviews are nice but I won't beg for them. I just pretend you all enjoy the story and I am a rock starâ€¦LOL. I am just kidding with you all.

Chapter 2 Growing Up

After a week of getting to know the dragons, they took off and the two kids were not sure what this meant. They waited a few hours but they still did not return so Hiccup fished and Astrid stoked up the fire to cook the fish. Over the past week the dragons cooked the fish and the fire was only used for morning and evening heat.

The camp felt lonely without the two dragons but luckily the two kids were growing closer too and they snuggled up to each other and enjoy the company and the fire. Teton was still there too and he loved to go out and find small animals and bring them back for Astrid or Hiccup to prepare. Teton was spoiled dragon and once he tasted cooked meat, he no longer accepted raw meet. His own fire was not much more than the fire in the pit so he became lazy and waited for his humans to cook the food before he ate.

One issue the kids had was clothes, both were growing and the clothes they wore were getting smaller on them. Since Astrid wore a skirt she could last longer in hers but Hiccup's pant legs and sleeves were getting very short on him and his muscles were growing so the once loose fitting shirt was not stretched by his growth and muscles.

Astrid had taught herself to sew so she took the little pelts they got from Teton's hunting and she made him a shirt and was no working on the pants. She also repaired his shirt he had for her to wear until she could get enough pelts for her own clothing.

The dragons had been gone for a week now and they two kids were wondering if they would ever return then they heard the whistle of the dragons. They circled around as if to make sure all was safe and then they landed. In their claws each had a large boar and a male deer. Hiccup ran to them and greeted them while Astrid was more timid. She loved her dragon but still needed to get used to having one of her own.

Hiccup immediately skinned the hides from the animals and then stretched them like he was taught to do at a very young age. He cut the meet up and spread close to the fire to not cook it all the way but dry it so it lasted longer. He normally deterred Teton from helping himself but since they had a lot of meat he gave Teton his one big chunk and that kept him busy for a while.

Astrid took some of the meat and made the meal for that evening and she gave as much as the dragons wanted of the still raw meat. They both thanked the dragons and then after the dragons gulped down their food, they went to an area they set up as their own little camp. It was cute to see them twist their tails together in a show of affection, kind of like how humans hold hands.

Hiccup and Astrid finished up with the meat and made sure the four large hides were properly curing before he went off to the make shift room they slept in together. Hiccup made sure all was secure around the camp in case it stormed overnight and the he joined Astrid who had already stripped and was waiting for her other half to help with the warmth under the blankets.

It was on a rainy day that they needed to get out of there only clothes that we soaked and they slept naked together and felt how warm it was. They have slept naked since then and enjoyed the warmth of each other. The might be young and had not sexual intentions with each other, at least not yet but they knew this behavior would be frowned upon by the elders in the village.

Few months later Hiccup had this weird idea and hoped it did not kill him. He approached the now named Toothless and he calmly tried to get on top of him. At first toothless did not like it but eventually he let Hiccup on top of him and then Hiccup asked if it was possible to fly like this. He did not have to wait for an answer and for the first time in now almost 4 years; the youngster saw outside of the cove. He was amazed how nothing had changed except for the viewpoint he was having.

He had to hang on tight but Toothless did nothing reckless and soon they were joined by Stormfly who was being ridden by Astrid. Astrid looked very scared but she later told Hiccup that Stormfly was going

nuts seeing them up there so Astrid hopped on and she was now getting used to the height.

Over the next few years they left the cove daily but made sure they flew out away from the village. They explored many lands and the teenagers looked for an island of their own to claim and start a life on. They both were still young but they have being alone as a couple for almost five years now and were ready to claim to their own land.

Toothless and Stormfly hatched one egg in the time they have been with the kids and that was two years ago. The two adult dragons were expecting a second hatchling soon and the excitement around the new island was growing with anticipation.

With Hiccup now being 13 and Astrid 14, their bodies were well along as far as being developed and both knew they liked what they saw in the other. During night time they both had times of arousal but nothing was done about it but the urges were there.

As Vikings, it was common to be married once you became of child bearing years like Astrid was. Life span was not too long in the rough life of a Viking so to populate the village as quick as possible was a goal by many kids the same age as Astrid. Usually they were married to a man ten years older since there were a lot more men than woman and the men had to wait their turn.

Astrid and Hiccup were not traditional Vikings and proud of this. They wanted to explore the world around them and since they had very fast transportation, the world that was waiting them at a great distance away.

Today was one of those days they were exploring and not only were they looking for adventure but also an island they can call home. They wanted to get off of Berk before they were discovered and forced to come home or kicked off the island all together. With training dragons too, they would be considered traitors and that could end up as execution of both of them.

They had been flying for a few hours when they spotted an old house on a small but nice island. The house was in the midst of some trees and from eye level cannot be seen from the ocean but from the air you can see a nice clearing. A barn type structure was also visible but needed as much work as the house if not more. You can tell that many years ago a garden was near the house and also a coop for chickens.

They landed near the house and when Hiccup opened the door, a few small rodents ran out and they were followed by a couple terrible terrors. The house looked to have three bedrooms in it and to the one side they noticed a device that came out of the ground. Astrid moved the handle up and down and out came water, brown at first but eventually cleared up.

On the kitchen table they noticed a note that was written to no in in particular so Hiccup read it out loud to Astrid.

To whom find this place first,

_My name is Milton and my wife Mildred and I lived her for ten years.

We moved out after our daughter was killed by a beast of a dragon and all our livestock and small game was carried off too. The whole Island is under our claim and to who holds this letter has claim to it. We will not be coming back at any time. We also have claim to the three visible islands to the west of this island. We never named the islands so this task is to whom takes residency of the place._

Good luck and stay alive,

Milton and Mildred

Hiccup rolled up the letter and put it inside of his pocket. He looked at Astrid and she was smiling.

"Is this out home Hiccup" and it was more of a statement then a question.

"Yes M'Lady, we are home. Let's go and pack the little bit of stuff we have at the cove and move her today yet."

They flew off and gathered the stuff they had acquired at the cove and by sunset they were unloaded into the new home. Hiccup was impatient so he took a sketch pad and flew up on Toothless and mapped out the four islands totals and then flew closer to see if he could see any structures. The other three islands were mostly trees and bushes with a couple of clearing.

When he got back to the house, Astrid had the kitchen cleaned up, stove fired up and a stew on the stove. She had become a wonderful cook and she enjoyed the time when she could cook and provide for Hiccup. Her favorite was to make a meal she learned on one of their traveling adventures. It was like the hard rolls they had on Berk but this was made with a different ingredient that required you to let the bread sit for a few hours and then bake it. They called it bread and she loved it.

They also learned how to make butter but they did not have a Yak to milk but Hiccup wanted to get one. Was not sure how he would transport it to the island unless he managed to get a boat. He was also excited to have chickens and hopefully sheep. He knew from the letter left that Dragons were and issue but he knew they had three night furies and fourth on the way and both him and Astrid could fight off dragons too.

They had been there a week and concentrated on the main island but both were up for an adventure and they set off to the island nearest them. This island was twice the size of theirs but did not have a decent spot to put up a house and other buildings so they understood the previous owners decision of the homestead site.

The teens learned a couple years ago to bring along cloth bags and string on any adventure. Never knew what they would find and best to transport it via bag instead of arm loads or multiple trips. This time was no exception but this load was a little bit wigglier.

They landed and noticed a rustling around in some bushes so they investigated. Both were shocked when a wild pig charged them and out of instinct Hiccup knifed it and killed it on the spot. What they did not realize is this was a female and she had six babies, very small babies.

Astrid started to skin the mother pig and cut the meat into chunks and pack in the bags while Hiccup chased down the pigs with the help of Toothless and Stormfly. The first couple where pretty easy but the rest caused a problem. The third and fourth were finally caught and the fifth one pretty much gave itself up but the sixth, the runt of the litter was also the best at dodging the attempts made by Hiccup.

Astrid had been working on the meat for a couple hours when she had finally finished and she started to laugh when watching the exhausted Hiccup being played by the runt pig. She walked near them and the little pig saw her and ran up behind her legs and lay down. She bent down and picked it up and placed it in one of the bags that already had baby pigs in it.

"I guess little Hiccup's are attracted to me" and then she almost fell over laughing at her own joke. Hiccup rolled his eyes but then he went to her and put his head on her lap and she stroked his head and let him rest for a few minutes.

The squealing of the little pigs alerted them they needed to get them home and fix up the barn to let the pigs loose into one of the pens and also find feed for them to eat. They both remember on Berk the pigs were fed vegetation such as corn and barley and also scrap food from the homes but they did not have much of each.

They got home and the pens were okay for now but once they got bigger they would not be able to hold these pigs in. Hiccup did find some old growth in the garden area and gave it to the pigs and they seemed to like it. Astrid took some of the wheat she bought and mixed it with water and animal fat they had and that also made them happy but not enough to last too many days.

The next day the explored the island again that they found the pigs and found a large berry patch and signs the pigs had hung out there. They picked as many berries as they could and Hiccup bravely tried one of the unknown berries not knowing if it was poisonous and he is still alive so they saved some for the house and the rest would be mixed with the wheat.

In the old garden they found wild growing vegetation and picked what looked ripe and divided it between human pig consumption. Hiccup also gathered long thin trees and made an outside fence and had it close enough to the ground so the pigs could not escape. The area was not real big but enough they could get outside and also had a door to the indoor pen.

It was not the season to start a garden and they did not have much for money. They knew winter was coming soon so they needed to find a way to provide for their own well-being. Astrid had learned to sew and over the past few years has made some nice pelt lined jackets and also hats and gloves. Hiccup found and old forge iron and he made a few small daggers from old metal he found. He was not sure of the quality but would give it a shot when they found a market to try and sell or trade the goods they had.

They determined the jackets they would keep for now and only sell if really needed. They were not sure how the winter was on these islands and they also kept an extra hat and gloves for each. Hiccup had 6

daggers but was going to only offer three and he wanted to get enough steel to make a couple swards and Astrid wanted and Ax like her family was known to wield.

They went flying again and this time they brought the tradable goods with. They were about six hours into the flight when they spotted small village and they quickly landed before being spotted. They were not sure if the village was dragon friendly so they hid the dragons and walked the short distance to the market area.

The trip was success in more than one way, they first found out the village was not scared of dragons and welcomed them to the village as long as they stayed by the trainer. They also found out the village did not have a smith there and they were impressed with Hiccup's daggers and they traded them for as much of the forge equipment he could handle. He took an anvil and also a supply of different medals along with a mold for a nice sword that he would tweak once the initial sword was molded.

Astrid's hats and gloves also were a hit and she was able to get some cooking pans, more wheat and they also obtained a large bag of corn for the pigs. She also liked that not one person asked where they were from and how old they are. She felt free of age and location and this comforted her.

They loaded everything up and once they were in the air, they noticed they were moving faster since the wind current were behind them. The six hour flight there was about four hours home.

When they got home, they noticed they had visitors while they were gone and the fence by the barn was wrecked and the area was torn up. They checked inside and all six pigs were fine but huddled in a corner shaking with fear. It was decided that when they left the island the pigs would be locked up inside.

Over the next couple of weeks Hiccup put up a small shelter with full walls on three sides and on the side facing the south he built a three quarters wall to let in the cool air while he crafted things in his developing forge. Soon as he was done with the building, he installed the small fire pit he had and the bench with the tools needed.

He went to work on three more daggers to make sure the fire was the correct temperature and then he went to work on three swords and one ax. The ax he would have to free hand mold since he had no mold but he managed to make a decent one and Astrid was very happy with it. He kept two swords for himself and traded one and it was well liked so he planned to make more.

The winter was not as bad as Berk and once spring arrived Astrid traded for seeds and gardening equipment and she got to work on the garden. She also had Hiccup build her a smoke house and she took over smoking any wild game they caught and the fish that the dragons brought back after they had their fill.

The one thing the still did not have was Yak and Hiccup asked about one each time he went to the village. He brought a sling and also herbs that would put it to sleep while being transported so it did not disrupt the flight. He really wanted to get a male and two females and reproduce. He and Astrid were in the early stages of

building their own village but for now it was just the two of them.

Hiccup also prepared the other half of the barn for the Yak and he fixed up the chicken coop in case he came across some chickens. He kept himself busy from sun up to sun down and he had to admit as hard as he worked, Astrid worked twice as hard with the garden household items and she always trained for a couple hours a day.

On this trip to the village they brought along the two young night furies with, North Star because she had a star shaped mark on the top of her head and Midnight because he was darker than midnight sky. The kids had been training the two young ones to haul items and today they needed them. Hiccup had ten swords, three axes and a dozen daggers to trade and Astrid made some soft boots, scarfs and also some baked goods to trade.

In return they were promised the next visit they could select two female and on make Yak and also a few hens and roosters. Astrid and Hiccup were so excited to be able to get more animals and be able to reproduce them and butcher them when needed. The only thing missing was getting sheep and goats but that will come with time.

The trades went as planned, the village was always true to their word and if they said they would have something and agreed on the trade value, it was completed. Astrid and Hiccup made sure they made top of the line products and it showed because when they came to town the villagers ran to them to see if they had anything to trade.

They were picking up the bull yak when the farmer came running to them and asked if they could hold on a bit. He said a ewe was birthing and having troubles and he had to tend to the young one first of he might lose the mother. He already figured the lamb would not make it since it was being born early and he already had on he was bottle feeding because the mother rejected the runt.

The young couple watched as the little lams was born and they panicked when the farmer grabbed a hammer and was about to kill the little one.

"What are you doing" screamed Astrid.

"He is a runt and I am already taking care of one of them. I will not be able to save this one so put both it and me out of its misery and if the mother does not have a young one to care for she will get bred again soon and have a late summer lamb."

"How much to you want for the lamb" asked Hiccup.

"You want this runt? It probably will die before you get home."

"Yes, please clean it up and we will take it. I have one piece of gold on me and maybe later you can give me something else as I know the gold is worth more than one healthy lamb."

"How about I throw in the other runt, the bottle and also two tubs of goat cheese and butter?"

"Deal" and they shook on it and a couple hours later they were

finally on their way home with two female yaks, a bull yak, dozen chickens and two runt lambs, one male and one female. They were glad they had the two young furies helping them and the ride home was about five hours with the dragons being loaded down. They all were thankful for the sleeping herb or they would not have made it home.

They landed and it was dark out so they had to be careful about any wild dragons in the area. It was all clear but it helps when you have four of the most feared dragons on your side and they let out a roar a few minutes before they land.

They landed near the barn and Hiccup decided to stay up until all the animals woke up from the herb. They were not real knowledgeable on the herb and it looked like they gave them too much since they did not wake up until the sun started to rise the next day.

The lambs were the only exception and Astrid brought them in with her to the house. She woke up a few times and fed them and both seemed to being doing well. She took some of the chairs and put them on their side to create a make shift pen until morning. She was exhausted and ended up falling asleep on the floor by the pen but when she woke up, she was in bed but alone.

She went downstairs and noticed the chairs were packed up, blankets folded and the lambs were not I the kitchen anymore. She went to the barn and found the lambs playing in the leaves Hiccup put in the pen for bedding and her boyfriend was sound asleep on the dirt floor with no covering. She could see how cold he was so she took her jacket and covered him and then sat down and lifted his head to her lap for him to sleep.

Hiccup woke up an hour later and Astrid was still awake looking at the animals while making a small braid in his growing hair. She liked to stay busy and since she was pinned down by him, she messed with his hair and he never said anything. She later on did it while he was awake and he did not stop her. She smiled at how loving he was and this love was sent her way.

Over the next two months they worked on the homestead that was looking more like a farm than Viking village. Sure most Vikings had some animals but the chickens had reproduced to the point they could tno count them and they ate a few and picked eggs every day. After a couple of days they through the ones they had to the dragons who loved them and then gathered more. The garden was growing like crazy under the care of Astrid and she remembered how to dry some of the foods and spices which she traded and she also made preserves from berries they found.

Life was settling down for a bit but that soon changed.

A/N: Thank you everyone for reading and I have a couple questions and also comments.

Questions first: Please respond in a review

Should they ever return to Berk or should this be their adventure and let them go freely?

Should he lose his left leg?

I would like a few more people to join them but none from Berk, any suggestions including OC?

Eventually there will be a lemon, I can do detail or just suggest it happened and pass it by?

Do you like this length of chapters?

I am going to slow the story line down after the next chapter or maybe part way through the chapter with and adventure. I have a couple ideas but suggestions are welcomed.

Comments:

THANK YOU FOR REVIEWS,FAVORITES AND FOLLOWS

I will be adding more dragons and Teton will be back the next chapter but not alone.

Valka will not be part of this story nor will the villain's from the movie. I will make up a villain if that is determined by the above questions or you can suggest one.

I sometimes like the crossover especially with Frozen so that is not ruled out yet but will stay a complete HTTYD storyline.

Next chapter is titled: New Addition

**Do not read into the title too much since there are many options **

3. Chapter 3

Thank you to those who reviewed and I think I responded to them all and if I did not shame on me and let me know. To the guest review thank you but I cannot respond to guest reviews. I like your answers and thinking of going this path that you and one other suggested. I am still open to more suggestion on my questions and will repost the questions at the bottom with and A/N.

One change now is Hiccup and Astrid will always be the same age. They are about two months apart and earlier in the story I would have Astrid a year older but that did not last long so just going to have them same age.

New Addition

The couple has been on the island for two years now and they have managed to reproduce the animals, grow their own crops, gather vegetables from the garden and get meat and milk from the animals they raised. They have a new male and female yak and two more on the way from a trade with the village.

The pigs are fully grown and Hiccup managed to find a wild boar and tame it and now he services the sows and they will be having piglets anytime now. The two sheep have gotten along and the ewe is also expecting.

All this breeding and birthing has Astrid thinking about being a mom but she also wants to take her time and adjust to her changing body and also the growth of her and Hiccup's relationship. She loves him like she never thought she could love before but she also looks forward to the times when he goes to market alone and she can get some quit time.

Stormfly hatched another egg a few months ago and Astrid loved bonding with the new hatchling. They also received a surprise when another terrible terror showed up and this one was a female and she hatched an egg. Teton was now a father and a very protective one. It took him a few weeks to let Hiccup near his new hatchling but now he is good with everyone spoiling his daughter.

Hiccup had just returned from the market and he showed Astrid the goods he received. They did not need to go to the market as much now since they raised so much of their own food and over the past two years they traded for a butter churn and flour stone to make some of the essentials they needed to survive.

New Adventure

The teenagers were bored and needed something to do. Hiccup suggested they explore one of the two remaining islands they have yet to go to. They had not need or the time to explore them since they were still mapping out the island they lived on and the second Island. They had named the island they live on New Beginning since this is where Hiccup and Astrid feel like their life has really begun.

The second island is named Sty for pig sty since they found the pigs there. Not a very clever name but neither Astrid nor Hiccup were hung up on names so it did well for them. They frequented this island often to get supplies such as berries and wood. They took from their island as little as possible to keep it as natural as possible. They did not want to cut trees down because this meant the house and out buildings might become visible to the outsiders sailing on the ocean.

They landed on Island three and noticed the nice shiny rocks that sparkled in the sun. Astrid thought how wonderful these rocks would look on a ring or necklace and she made sure to drop that hint to her love. Hiccup was not stupid and made a note to return on his own and investigate the rocks and see if he could make her some jewelry to wear.

The island was half the size of the homestead but was filled with berries and small trees. The berries will help provide for the winter food and the trees for firewood and also making more pens for the animals. The number of animals on the homestead was increasing fast and the teens were not sure if they were getting in over their heads with too many animals but one day they hopes to have more residents on the island, kids of their own and a few friends they were making at the trade market.

This island turned out to not be much of anything besides the berries and trees but they decided to keep on walking around the edge and as they walked, they started to circle more inward to cover the whole island. They walked about ten feet apart from each other to cover a little bit more area but close enough to talk and look out after each other.

They were in the middle of a conversation about what to do with this island when Astrid spotted something strange on a tree in front of her. She moved to it and noticed it was a long strip of cloth that could be used as a scarf.

You Want To Join Us

Astrid reached for it and just as she was about to touch it, a dagger flew from behind her and hit the tree about three inches from her hand. She pulled her hand back and turned to see a girl maybe thirteen years old glaring at her and Hiccup.

"Stay away from my home" was all she said and then took out another dagger. She aimed it at Astrid and when Astrid stepped back, the girl lowered her dagger.

"We do not mean any harm but what are you doing on the island?" Hiccup was curious how this girl could survive here but then he and Astrid survived when younger than this.

"Dragon takes me from mom and dad and dropped me here and left me to die. I have eaten berries and killed small animals to live."

"Were your parents Milton and Mildred?" asked Astrid.

"Yes, they will come and find me."

"Sorry but they left their home and we found it with a note saying they thought you were dead, they moved out and took all the things they owned with them. We live there now but you are free to join us and live with us. We have plenty of food and space for you to live with us."

The girl seemed to think about it but was very hesitant to join the strangers. She was hungry and she missed being around people but she was hurting that her parents gave up and just left. She sat down and kept an eye on the two in front of her but she sensed she was not in danger around them.

"Can I bring Molly and Polly with me? They are my best friends and they lost their mom a few months ago. I have been taking care of them and they take care of me too."

Astrid was surprised there were more people on this island. "Sure, can we meet them?"

The girl called them with a whistle and out of the bushes came two half grown deadly nadders. One was ocean blue and the other was midnight blue.

"I hope you are not scared of dragons. I was at first but I was attacked by a pig and Polly, the dark one killed it and saved me and Molly tore up the pig and cooked it for me. They both were hatchling then but were strong. What was 4 years ago and I had been here for a couple years already but barley surviving. Since they joined me I have been eating better and nothing tries to harm me."

Hiccup was studying the beautiful dragons while listening to the girl. "Can we get your name if you do not mind?" he asked her.

"My name is Madeline and I am 14 years old."

"My name is Astrid and this is Hiccup, we are both 16 years old and have live one our own since I was 7 and Hiccup since he was 6."

With each passing moment of the conversation, Madeline was more at ease with the two older teens. She decided she was going to go back with them and live her life at the place she was born. She was a very knowledgeable young lady and she liked to keep busy. She was going to fit in very well with Astrid and Hiccup.

Once they returned home, Madeline went into the house and she noticed her old room was not being used so she went in and claimed it. "I can help you clean it and we can get any kind of decorations you want for the room the next time Hiccup goes to Market." The teen turned and saw Astrid looking at her.

"Thank you. Do you think I can have some water heated and I can get a bath? I have only had the showers of the rains to wash up and kind of miss soaking in hot water." Astrid showed her were to get the buckets and together they filled the pots with water to heat them over the stove and filled the bath. Astrid left her to be on her own to bath and to find Hiccup.

Hiccup was preparing for the increase in animals on the island by expanding the pens and also placing a row of boards a few inches off the ground to cover the lower portion of the fence so the babies do not escape. He had learned to make nails on his own from scraps of metal they found along the shores of the island and tore apart wrecked ships to salvage the wood to build the fences.

Astrid enjoyed watching Hiccup work, especially when it was warmer because he did not wear a shirt and for some reason his sweaty toned body kept her eyes on him. She slept topless with him nightly but to see him in action, his muscles moving and his face determined to finish task at hand, she though he was sexy.

She could feel it in her body it was time she thought of a family. She was young but in Viking standards, she should be married now and have one on the way if not one born already. She is glad they are not under the laws of the Viking and can live as they want to live, by their hearts.

Madeline was adjusting very well but she also liked her independence. Over the next few months she spent as much time on island three that they name after her, Madeline's Island, as she did at the homestead. She brought her dragons with her and when they returned usually it was with baskets of berries and pelts from the deer that dragons killed for their own food.

Astrid was really getting the itch to explore so she convinced Hiccup to take a trip on Toothless and Stormfly to someplace they never have been before. She wanted to alone time with hiccup too because she had a plan and she knows Hiccup will be one happy man with what she had planned for him.

**A/N: Next chapter will be mostly Hiccup and Astrid as they explore unknown lands but also there will be some surprises for them. Madeline will stay on the islands to watch over things and she will

have a short adventure of her own that will be a shock to Hiccup and Astrid when they return.**

4. Chapter 4

**Thank you everyone for the reviews and follows. I am glad to be back into writing after a bit of time off but I cannot promise a certain schedule of updates. I have some things in my life that are out of control so do the best I can **

**The chapter will be an adventure for Hiccup and Astrid, along with some bonding time, wink, wink. The two will also make some discoveries that will forever change the lifestyle of the island for the better. This will be written in three parts to help keep the chapters from getting too long. **

Please enjoy and again thank you so much for the reviews, follows and favorites.

Adventures Begin

Astrid and Hiccup have been planning this adventure for two months now. Astrid has been making list of the items needed and Hiccup has been preparing the dragons for the long travels. They are not sure how long they will be gone or how far they will go but it will be a few months away from the island.

Astrid in her own mind and body was getting restless for this adventure, she had plans for Hiccup and he better enjoy them. She was sure he would but she was nervous, they have shared so much together but this was one thing they will share and possible for life.

They said their goodbyes to Madeline and then took off to the north. They wanted to fly over Berk at night but no plans to stop in. They have pretty much forgotten the former island of theirs and just wanted to make sure everyone was safe.

Berk had not changed much except for the new houses because of the dragon attacks. Some were old and run down and need replacing but most were new and not by choice. They did not see any activity on the island so they slowed down as they flew over. Astrid and Hiccup felt nothing seeing the island and they decided to pick up speed and get to a place to rest for the night.

The first night they were pretty tired so set up the minimal needs for camp and went to sleep right away. Morning came very quick and both woke up a little sore since they were not used to flying for twelve hours like they did the previous day. On days to the market the total flight was 8 hours on a good day and ten on a bad day but they had a few hour stop in between the flight there and back.

Yesterday they stopped for thirty minutes to water the dragons and stretch the legs before they took off again. This morning Astrid made sweet bread cakes over the fire while Hiccup took care of the dragons and he also trained with his sword for an hour.

He started sword training a few years back to provide protection to the ones he love and at times Astrid joined him. She seemed to be a

natural with the sword and when the two sparred with the training swords she usually defeated Hiccup. He did not mind this because knowing Astrid if they were to battle anyone, he would not be able to convince her to step back and stay safe. She was very stubborn in being told what to do and not to do but he loves her for it.

When he returned to camp, Astrid was in her skirt but no leggings this time and her top was tighter and he thought she might not have bindings underneath. "Why the change of style Astrid" he asked.

"Can't I try to dress for my love and maybe he will be pleased of how I look" she commented.

"I always love how you look but I do think this is very nice" he responded as his eyes wandered up and down her exposed skin on her legs and her breast that were not being bond tight to her body. He for sure liked it and would not question it again.

Astrid smiled and felt a warmness spread through her whole body as Hiccup looked at her and when she bent over to get something, she realized how short her skirt was. She is glad she had on her knickers but knew someday, someday real soon he will see there too and she needed to be ready for that time. She was willing and the thoughts occupied her mind most of her days.

She also realized the speed of the dragons tended to flip up her skirt and when she had on her leggings she never noticed but the chill between her legs and over her thighs was more than she could take but she wanted so bad to show herself to Hiccup. She was relieved when they stopped the next time and Hiccup handed her the leggings she wore.

"I love how you look but I do not want you sick. I saw you shivering and do not want you sick." He pulled her into a hug and as he rubbed his hand over her back and verified no bindings holding her breast in, he let his hand go further down and when it reached her skirt, he froze.

Astrid wanted this, his hand to explore on her so she let him know it was okay, she leaned up to him and kissed him with passion and then placed her hand on his and pushed it down to cover her ass. He squeezed and she pushed into him. He became bolder and went under her skirt and his bare hand on her bare legs was more than she could want and she felt her wetness increase and her breast react to his touch.

She wanted him so bad now and was ready to give in to his needs and also hers. She opened her mouth and fed her tongue to him and reached between them and placed her hand on his covered manhood. He was already hard for her and she internally smiled knowing she made him want her.

She started to undo his pants wanting to make this the time for them, the time she gives her innocence to him and submit her life to the man she loves. She had the tie undone and he did not resist, his hands worked on her bum and she had to push back against his touch to make room to undo his pants. She was working on the next tie to loosen them enough so she could push them down when she heard it.

She shook the sound out of her head thinking she was hearing things because of the state of bliss she was in, she reached inside and for the first time felt the skin of his manhood in her hands and he gasped but then went back to making out with her. He increased the force on her mouth and the sucking on her tongue. His hands were grabbing with intense lust, so intense it almost hurt but also was the driver of pleasure to her inner core of list.

She had her hand around him and was starting to stroke but then she heard it again, maybe two times again and she was confused. She stopped stroking and pulled back from Hiccup. "Do you hear that?" she asked him with her hand still inside his pants. She did not want to let go but she was also distracted not by Hiccup but by the cries she heard.

"I only hear the passion you have in you my love" he said but then the cry happened again and the look on his face told her heard it too.

He pulled his hand from her ass and she removed her hands from his pants. They fixed their clothes and ran off in the direction of the cry or cries. Hiccup was in front of Astrid and when he went around a grove of trees and reached a clearing, he stopped suddenly and Astrid ran into him. She looked around him and she was in shock of what she saw.

In front of them was at least five woman and many children, some still at the age of nursing and some as old as ten or eleven years old. All of them looked weary of the two strangers looking at them but were too weak to run from them. One lady approached them and introduced herself as Hilett; she had a baby at her breast and did not seem to mind Hiccup's presence with her breast being exposed.

Hiccup was not bothered by this since he saw many women at the market walk around feeding their babies and he learned it was only natural. Hilett explained they are the wives and children of an island many miles away and escaped when their village was attacked by pirates. The men were killed and the women left behind were raped and taken in as sex slaves to the pirates.

When they first escaped by long boat, there were 8 women and 14 children but now there are five women and eight children. The rest had died to starvation and illness. Astrid looked and noticed only six of the children were walking around or carried by mothers and two others were in make shift beds and looking ill. She walked over to them and she took some of her water and gave each a drink. She then turned to the three kids who were playing and gave them some water and a few berries each.

The other three kids that were in good health and spirits were infants, one was Hilett's boy Thor who was eight months old, two others were held by a woman who had one at ach breast. Hilett explained the mother of the girl on the right died in the boat not long after giving birth, that babe was two months old. The other baby belonged to the woman who was feeding them and that baby was also a girl and her name was Alethis and she was three months old. The baby on her right breast was not named yet because the mother feeding her had no intent to claim her as her own.

Hiccup took off his pack and he dug out some dried meat and gave it to Hilett who in return gave it to the other four women. As she did, she told Hiccup more about the group and there heritage as farmers but by the time they reached this island a few weeks ago, they had already been a drift for months and all are too weak to do more than gather a few berries.

She explained the older children helped gather the berried and one boy was become a good hunter but his spear throw was only strong enough to take down small game. He brought home a few rabbits a day but this was enough to keep them alive but not enough to give them much strength.

"Hiccup, we need to stay her for a while and get them healthy. We can have them come to our island and stay there and they will have plenty to eat but they are not fit to travel in this state of weakness."

Hiccup agreed with them and he asked Hilett to introduce him to the boy who hunted. She told him that he and his girlfriend were no there at the moment but then they looked up and saw the two kids they had not seen before coming out of the woods. This made ten kids and five adults so a small community of fifteen.

She took him over to Prince Julius; he was the son of the chief of the tribe and was approached with respect. The boy looked up at the stranger and Hiccup could see the pride in the boy, not pride of royalty but pride in taking care of the women and children since he was the oldest male here.

Julius was with a pretty but very dirty girl about his age, they were holding hands and Hiccup smiled at the young love. Her name is Gillian and she was eleven, a year older than Julius. Hiccup asked Hilett to escort Gillian over to Astrid and have Hilett and Gillian help Astrid with caring for the kids.

"Julius, or do you prefer Prince Julius?"

"Julius is fine and thank you for stopping to help us. I might be strong but with the lack of food I am losing ability to hunt and afraid I will let down my remaining kingdom."

"If you need to rest then go, a great king knows his limits and accepts help. I will go and hunt and once you rest we need to talk with some options we have for you."

"With due respect, I want to hunt with you. I can sense you are a great hunter and I want to learn to provide for my kingdom and" he stopped talking and looked down.

"It is okay to want to provide for Gillian, I have been alone with Astrid since we were seven and we provide for each other. Know her strength and weaknesses and she will know yours and once you accept the weaknesses and receive her strengths, your bond will grow faster than you can ever know."

Hiccup looked at Julius who was taking in everything the older boy had to say. Hiccup continued "I am going to show you how to make your own bow and whittle arrows and place them on shafts. I will show you

how to set traps. Astrid will teach the women how to tan the hides and make them into blankets, coats and other clothing. When hunting we will look for edible plants and if they are in see, take the seed and show you how to grow the plants and care for them."

"I sense most of the people here are not used to caring for themselves and that is why the issues with the food and starvation." Hiccup said the last part kind of harsh but he knew it was reality.

"My father's kingdom had slaves and they were taken from us when the pirates first attacked. Gillian's parents were slaves and I fell in love with her but was forbidden to see her. When the attacks happened I went to rescue her and two pirates were about to violate her and I killed them." He looked down and he started to cry "I never killed anyone or anything before and I took two lives and now I kill for the survival of my people."

Hiccup placed a hand on Julius "You did good young man, you save a woman you love and as many people as you can and overcame your downfalls to provide for them. You are only ten but yet a man and I will be proud to call you friend if you will let me." Julius nodded and then he hugged Hiccup.

The two guys spent the rest of the afternoon together making a bow for Julius and ten arrows. When they were done, they practiced and Julius was pretty good at it and was ready for the hunt the next day. Hiccup looked over the supplies they had left and he used some old blankets, branches from trees and made shelter for the sick.

Julius and Hiccup went to the water sources and Hiccup showed him how to skim the top free of the insects and debris before scooping up the water. Back at the base Astrid had fire going and she gave the task of heating water to prepare for food and the cooled water was to be for drinking. They learned this trick at market from one of the elders and both agreed the water tasted better after heated and then cooled.

Hilett was taking care of the children while Astrid took that morning's kill Julius brought in before the arrival of Hiccup and Astrid and she was cutting it up and placing the meat along with some plants she found nearby. She showed Gillian the plants that had edible roots and the two girls were cutting them up now and placing in the stew.

Astrid explained to her when you have very little meat to make it last you adds water and vegetation to it and then you have more food to share. They dished out the stew and there was enough for all to have one bowl and the rest was saved for a meal later. Astrid knew when a person was hungry for many days and then ate too much you tend to get sick, she learned this from experience when her and Hiccup first struggled with finding food.

"Astrid, sorry we could not keep the babies quiet when you were with Hiccup back in the woods." Astrid turned red knowing they were being watched and she wanted to shout at her but she kept her tongue to herself and stayed quiet.

The two girls were silent for a while when Astrid looked at her. "Someday you and Julius will have urges and want to take care of them

but out of love and not obligation. His lips will feel like the softest thing you ever touched and when he holds you, you will feel like nothing van go wrong in the world. I have had this with Hiccup since I was seven and we shared our first kiss when we were your age."

"I love kissing Julius and he sometimes tries to be naughty with me. He likes I am a little older now and have breast but still small compared to yours and the other women of the village." Astrid giggled remembering when she used to think the same thing seeing the bigger breast on the women at the market and she would be jealous of them.

"Boys, they sure seem to like out chest" and then both girls laughed.

5. Chapter 4 Part 2

The next morning Hiccup got up early and he went to find Toothless and Stormfly. He sent them back with a note to Madeline about the people they found and also to have the dragons return with two of their offspring. He was going to give one to each Julius and Gillian.

"What do you think of dragons" Julius asked out of nowhere.

"I love dragons, why do you ask?"

"I saw yours and Astrid's dragons when you two flew onto the island and Gillian and I have been scouting the two of you. We left when we kind of saw you and Astrid kind of enjoying yourselves. Sorry for sneaking."

Hiccup understood the boys reasons and did not hold that against them and also respected they left when the passion started. "Would you like a dragon someday" Hiccup asked him.

His eyes lit up and then he turned his face to the ground. "I would love one but they are forbidden in my kingdom."

"Are you not the leader of this kingdom now? Your father is gone and your mother is too, that makes the prince the new leader and I stand by you in your leadership. I am only helping you learn but you have final say in all matters and if you want a dragon than I, as your friend will give you one."

"I sent my two dragons to deliver a note to the only other person who lives on my islands and they will return with two of their offspring to be yours and Gillian's dragons."

"I cannot thank you or repay you enough for all you and Astrid have done; I am forever in your debt." Hiccup assured him to listen, learn and take care of the women and children of the kingdom and he will consider that payment enough.

They headed deeper into the woods, a part that Julius never ventured into out of fear since he always hunted alone. Gillian wanted to go with but she liked to talk and Julius knew this would not be any good when trying to sneak up on game.

The further they walked, the more Julius feared the unknown but he did gain strength in the confidence Hiccup had moving forward without and fear. The woods were getting thicker and thicker until they noticed a thinning of the trees ahead. The two trudged alone and when they found the clearing they were amazed what they saw.

In front of them was two run down homes, a very clear lake in the back and a couple barns with wild chickens running around. Looks like the chickens have taken over the place because their numbers were not countable. They looked closer and noticed another building behind the first house and Hiccup noticed it looked like a small forge.

The boys felt like it was a great day and ran towards the homestead. They should of been more cautious but it was two late when a couple terrible terrors flew out at them sending fire at the boys. They ducked and then while Julius continued to hide, Hiccup stood up and talked calmly to the terrors. At first they were scared but then they listened to his calm voice and then placed their snouts against his palms to make the bond. Hiccup showed Julius how to do this and he also bonded with the terrors.

Hiccup took out a piece of paper and wrote a note to Astrid and sent it off with one of the terrors. The terror understood Hiccup and he understood them even though they did not know each other's language.

They killed three chickens and sent them with the other terror and requested that one of the terrors return after delivering the note and food. The boys entered the forge first and found the skeleton remains of who they assumed was the smith of the forge. In his hand was a hammer and at his side was a well-crafted sword.

Hiccup took the sword and saw it was rusting and had turned dull with time. He knew the metal was average metal if it lost edge over time but it was metal he could work with. He checked the straps on the sharpening wheel and felt they are good for a while but will have to make a kill and tan some leather to craft more belts.

He took this time to show Julius everything he did and by the end of the day Julius learned to sharpen one of the many swords that were in the forge. He also learned to sharpen knives and pound out metal arrows instead of using stone. As they left the forge, both guys had a knife and sword sheathed at their sides and a bow and many arrows in the pack on their backs. They were prepared for a major hunt that would take place the next day.

The spent until dark fixing up the main house enough so they could sleep in the house. The found a few lanterns with oil in them and lit them with the flint stone they found. Before they could do anything, they had to remove the many skeleton remains of the previous settlers. This task was hard on Julius but he got used to it as much as he could. They dug a pit and put all the remains they found could and covered it back up. The pit was a ways away from the village hidden in the woods.

By the time the sun was down, Julius was exhausted and he made a bed of pelts they found and crashed on the floor. He was asleep in a few minutes and this gave time for Hiccup to think. He had in mind how to fix this place up and also to make it safer. He wonders what happened

to the people here since none of them seemed to be attacked by man or beast but just died.

He eventually fell asleep too but not before thinking of the golden haired beauty he missed so much. He touched his lips remembering just a could days earlier he had her in his hands in an intimate way and was sure they would of bonded with the marriage bond of love.

Back at the camp, Astrid was still up and her heart was torn. She was becoming close to one of the babies, a baby who had no mother there but suckled from another mother who also had a new born. The milk from the other mother did not calm the baby but when Astrid held it, the baby stayed calm and fell asleep, like it was now in her arms.

She obviously was not able to nurse the baby but she took a cloth and soaked it in some broth from the stew and the baby sucked on it to get some nutrients. Astrid would have to return the baby to the nursing mother in the morning but for tonight, she would let it sleep with her.

Astrid woke the next morning forgetting the note Hiccup had sent, he informed her he was going to be a way fro a few days with the hunt but would provide food via the terrors. He needed this time to train Julius and also a surprise for the villagers. She got out of bed, changed the clothes on the baby and went to seek out the nursing mother.

She found her sitting on a rock and she did not look well. Her head was wet with sweat and her fingers trembled while holding her own baby. She was almost losing grip on her baby when Astrid quickly grabbed the baby and the mother passed out.

When she collapsed to the ground, her head struck a rock and she was killed instantly. Astrid was holding two babies now and was not sure what to do. She turned to go and find Hilett but Hilett had found her when Astrid let out the scream. Astrid explained to her everything that happened and did not know what to do with the babies.

"I think you need to raise them Astrid. You are young and not with child yet and the rest of us are older and weak. We are getting stronger but our bodies have been exposed to so much that we will never be as strong as you and Hiccup. That woman got the fever that took the other adults and some children and it seems to be a part of this island.

Astrid held the two crying babies and did not know what to do. She was scared she might get the fever and if she died, who would take care of the babies and Hiccup. She knew Hiccup was an adult in his own right but she liked to think she helped take care of him and he would not deny it.

Astrid sent a note via terror to Hiccup and later that evening the two men returned. She was so glad to see him and she held him for a long time. Gillian did the same with Julius before the two guys could tell the girls the secret and ask them to not tell anyone.

They found out the woman who died needed too much water and she went and drank of the water directly. Hiccup and Astrid explored it and found a dead animal in the water and they marked the water as not

drinkable. Hiccup knew it was time to reveal his secret to all.

6. Chapter 6

With the water supply being bad and the closest clean water being a ways away in the clearing behind the home Hiccup and Julius found, Hiccup decided that he and Julius will reveal to Astrid and Gillian what they found. They were alone with the girls now and after eating breakfast, they would tell them and also introduce Julius and Gillian to two new friends.

After breakfast they reported to Hilett they were going for a walk to find water and would be back the next day later in the day. Hiccup took Astrid's hand and Julius held Gillian's as the four of them walked into the woods and towards the settlement the guys found.

Once they were away from the women and children, Hiccup let out a whistle and in came four night furies. Julius was amazed and Gillian shrieked and hid behind Julius.

"It is alright Gillian, Hiccup told me about the dragons and these are the offspring of Hiccup and Astrid's dragons." Julius then walked up to one who was almost as black as Toothless but also has some white specks on him. Hiccup explained his name was Midnightsnow since he was black with white specks. Julius did as Hiccup showed him with the terrors and then he walked Gillian through it.

Gillian's dragon was named Clearsky since she was a light blue and no other markings on her. She blended against a blue sky thus the name she was given.

On Toothless was two extra saddles, Hiccup helped place the saddles on the two other night furies and gave them a quick flying lesson. Gillian was still scared so she flew with Astrid to the settlement and later she would become a great flier but it will take some time.

Once they reached the settlement, the girls were amazed on how well everything looked. Hiccup explained that he and Julius spent the time there cleaning the main house, cutting down any shrubs and fixing up the forge. He at this time presented Astrid with an ax since the ax was the symbol of her family. He also gave her a sword and knife to carry on her at all times.

Gillian was given a lighter sword and a knife and she chose to have a bow. On the saddle was a strap made for a bow because Hiccup placed this on all saddles along with a sheath for knife and sword. He carried a sword at all times on the saddle and the extra knife came in handy too.

The girls were shown the water from the lake and the boys drank from it to prove it was good. This lake was very deep and clear so if any animal died in it, the water can dilute it enough to keep it safe unlike the stagnant water in the small pond by the camp site.

The main house was not real big but could house up to three couple. Julius already claimed the main room for him and Gillian, the other two rooms for a mother and her children. The second home needed work

yet but the main room was done and Hilett would stay in this room and the other two rooms for a mother and her kids.

The barns would be okay for the dragons for now and also they managed to cage a lot of the chickens to tame them and get eggs from them. They searched the coop and found a few eggs and this served as the breakfast the next day. The number of chickens was pretty high but most ran free and the ones they captured looked to be the younger hens and a couple roosters.

Another barn was used for storage, hiccup planned to make a drying station for the fish the dragons would bring back. Hiccup explained to Julius how the dragons do most of the hunting for them on their island and they are never short of food. They give to the dragons first and then they take what is left over. Hiccup whispered something to toothless and then he grunted before all four dragons took off.

During the day the four of them cleaned the two houses, fixed any holes in the walls and ceilings and made sure the structures were safe. They ate chicken prepared by the girls for the night meal and then the couple split into separate houses. Julius and Gillian went to the house they will stay in and Astrid and Hiccup took temporary residency in the other house.

Hiccup and Astrid still planned on traveling so they will not claim a room and once the villagers are settled in, they will take off but check back frequently and communicate by the use of the terrors and notes.

The walk to the house for Astrid and Hiccup was intentionally slow, they were enjoying the peaceful time together and Astrid was also in thought about the two babies she left with Hilett. She was not their mother but she loves them after a couple days and misses them. Hiccup has not really got close to them yet but he senses Astrid's down feeling and puts his arm around her.

"I was planning on staying one more day but if you want to go back early tomorrow we can." He was serious but Astrid shook her head no and went into the house. She knew they needed to get the villager's shelter and clean water and tomorrow would be a good day to move them in and then her and Hiccup can leave a few days after that.

She asked Hiccup what they will do with the babies and he looked at her and gave the answer she hopes "They come with us if they have been given to you to care for." It must have been the right answer because he felt her lips on his and then she reached down and quickly pushed her hands inside of his pants.

"We are not wasting any time tonight Hiccup. I want this and want it tonight and I have been ready all day thinking about it."

She found her target and put her hands around it and he grew in a matter of seconds. Her hand was warm and her lips were wild on his. He grabbed her ass and pulled her much closer and she submitted to him. She was his and he can have her, she wanted to make love to him and commit her life to him. This would be the night of their marriage and they would announce it to the world in passionate pleasure.

Hiccup picked up Astrid and carried her to the furs they placed down as their bed, he removed his shirt and then his pants and when he did, he sprang free and Astrid grabbed him. She liked holding his manhood and though she was scared of the pain, she was more eager to receive him. She removed her top and bindings but she needed the help of Hiccup since her one hand was busy. Her skirt was also removed and then her bottoms.

She was now was nude as Hiccup, she laid back and he followed to be on top of her. She was still holding him and once he settled on top, she guided him and she felt as her opening accepted his width. He was pretty big she thought but she relaxed herself and felt as she spread wider and he enter further. "I love you Hiccup, take me now, all the way and do not stop. I want the pain of the first time and I want you now."

He pushed all the way forward and she did nothing to stifle her scream, he kept going as commanded and he looked down at her with the tears running over her cheeks but a smile on her face. He could tell it hurt but once he tried to slow down and she shook her head no. He kept up the pace and he was feeling something build. He was not sure what it was but sense it was time, he did not last long since it was his first time and Astrid would not admit but she was glad.

He finished in side of her and she was still crying but this time she was not hurting, she held him tight and would not let him slide out of her but instead captured his lips with hers and kept him in her. She was in love and she just married her best friend and the man she loves. She closed her eyes and prayed to the gods to make her fertile and give hiccup a child she desires to give to him.

The next day the four of them sat around in the main house and ate eggs and also found some wild vegetation in an area that must have been a garden. The girls were going to see what they could do with the garden while the boys skinned and cut up the three deer and one bear the dragons brought back last night.

The girls were busy in the garden and Gillian was quiet but Astrid was in a great mood. She never knew doing something like her and Hiccup did could give her such life and energy. She was humming as she pulled out the unwanted plants and was not paying attention until she heard Gillian's voice.

"How was it" the young girl asked shyly.

Astrid looked at her and the she knew what she meant when she saw the red face. "It was wonderful and I feel much closer to Hiccup than I ever have. Physically I am very sore and it hurt but emotionally I am the happiest I have ever been. In our village when two people get together like we did last night, they are married so Hiccup and I are now married."

"I am glad I could be witness to the vocals then." The girls were silent for a bit and then both broke out laughing. Astrid did not care they heard her and she was sure they might hear them again if they stay around too much longer.

Hiccup and Julius were working on the meat when out of nowhere Julius asked "How was it, was that your first time?'

Hiccup knew they must have heard and he answered him truthfully. Hiccup was a little surprised and probably blushed but he was proud that Astrid was now his wife and she willingly wanted to be. He knew in most Viking cultures the man chose and took the woman they wanted and the woman had little if any choice.

That evening they went back to the others and a few of the women were willing to ride dragons once they found out they would have a house and a room to stay in. All the rooms were supplied with a few furs and as the dragons hunted more would be available. Hiccup and Julius also stocked a smoker with meat and will be smoked in a few days. This will help the meat store a lot longer and also gives it some flavor.

After everyone was settled, Julius and Gillian were comfortable leading the others, Astrid, Hiccup and the two babies were ready to take off. Before they left they wanted to name the second baby since that baby never received a name.

"I want to name the baby Agatha, the name means good." Astrid wished for her to be a good person and helpful to all.

After they named the baby and Alethis was on the back of Hiccup and Agatha was on the back of Astrid, they mounted the dragons and waved as they took off towards there next adventure. They were excited and yet nervous because they had to care for the young ones along with themselves.

A/N 4/21/16 â€“ Thank you everyone for the read and the reviews. I am sorry if at times I sound short when you ask what is going to happen in the future of a story but I feel it is best not to give away anything. If that is the case then maybe I should sell Cliff Notes and make some money

I will be having a few posts over the next week because during my little gap in posting, I was still writing.

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